

Southwest Adds New Non-Stop to Pensacola, FL, Additional Flight to Austin

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Southwest Airlines **announced** Wednesday that they are adding even more flights to their expanding 2017 summer flight schedule at Lambert-St. Louis International Airport. The airline will now offer seasonal, once-daily Saturday service to a new destination for St. Louis, Pensacola, FL (PNS), beginning June 10. Southwest has also added a second daily flight between STL and Austin, TX (AUS) Sundays through Fridays starting June 4.

This summer, Southwest Airlines will peak at 109 departures a day from STL.

On January 5, Southwest Airlines **released** its 2017 summer flight schedule that will deliver a new destination for St. Louis, Charleston, SC (CHS), with once-daily Sat/Sun service. Four additional daily flights to current destinations were also added; Boston (BOS), Cleveland (CLE), Nashville (BNA) and San Diego (SAN). The additional flights to Cleveland and Nashville will continue beyond the summer schedule.

Lambert-St. Louis International Airport and Southwest Airlines are now working together on a plan to continue modernizing and enhancing Terminal 2 that accommodates the carrier's expanded flight activity. In 2016, Southwest expanded operations with new gates at E31 and E33.

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